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## NEXT MEETING

## THIS THURSDAY

**JANUARY 27, 1994** 

# LOCATION:

Redwood Multipurpose Center 3100 South Redwood Road ----> 7:15 P.M. <----

Next Month: Feb. 24

### **PROGRAM**

### ANA SLIDE SHOW

The program for January is an ANA produced slide show on Hard Times tokens, with commentary given by Bob Campbell of All About Coins

Remember: PAY DUES

#### WIN YOUR OWN PRIZE \* \* \*

CONGRATULATIONS! When you win in the drawing, you now get to choose which token or prize you win! The rules are: if you win, you come up and draw the next ticket. You can then select any prize except the grand prize (reserved for the final ticket). This change was due to people winning a prize they had donated and people wanting a specific type of prize. Also, this should speed things up.

JANUARY GRAND PRIZE: JANUARY PROMPTNESS PRIZE: 2 1/2 Peso GOLD coin (1.875g. gold) 1942 Silver Walking Liberty half dollar.

.8g CALIFORNIA GOLD nuggets 1 ounce WORLD TRADE SILVER (.999 FINE) 1945 Silver Walking Liberty half dollar Treasure House Gold Doubloon (1948-52) Crowther & Palmer good for 12 1/2c in trade Hans Smokehouse (1921 CIGARS) g/f 12 1/2c i.t. Anderson's Billiard Parlor (1927-31) g/f 5c i.t. Heber Salt Lake Pool Hall (1908-10) g/f 5c in trade Strickley Bros (1910-17 SALOON) g/f 2 1/2c i.t. S.L.C. F. Anselmo & Co. (1923 grocer) g/f 50c i.t. g/f 5c i.t. Magna Lunch Room (cafe 1909 on) Copper King Bar (1911 on) g/f 12 1/2c i.t. Helper Club (1930 SALOON) q/f 50c i.t. H & A g/f 10c i.t. St. George Trade Dollar (BICENTENNIAL) ohrland Merc. Co. (1906-29) g/f 5 sticks powder Mohrland LR 1 Cedar City Bicentennial g/f \$1 i.t. College Inn q/f 5c i.t. Boulder City Company Store g/f/ 10c i.t. Saltair & ZCMI & Jake Garn day-of-issue letters

S.L.C. UNLISTED Magna UNLISTED S.L.C. LR 10 (\$18-36) HR 8 (\$10-40)S.L.C. LR 8 (\$28 - 38)HR 7 (\$25-35)Columbia HR 7 (\$12-36)Magna LR 4 (\$10-15)HR 2 Bingham (\$12-15)LR 2 Helper (\$10-20)Oaden HR 1 (\$10-18)St George HR 1 (\$8-16)(\$8-16)Cedar City LR 1 (\$8-16) Boise, Idaho Boulder City, Nevada

Dear N.U.T.S.,

Thanks for reelecting me as club president for the coming year. I will work hard to do a good and improve the club this year. Last year was a great one for NUTS and hopefully this one will be even better.

The Christmas Dinner last month was a exceptional meeting. There were a lot of great prizes and good food. I think all who attended had a great time. Remember the more meetings you attend this year, the more tickets you'll have for the next Christmas drawing, and if you have a family membership, your family will also get tickets for attending meetings.

This month we will be watching a slide show from the A.N.A. on hard times tokens for our

program. This should be very informative and I hope everyone can make it out to the meeting.

During the past few months I have had a quite a few members approach me with suggestions and ideas for activities to improve the club. This is great and I really appreciate the input. To make it easier to submit your ideas I will bring a suggestion box to the next meeting. Having your ideas on paper will also help myself and the other officers keep track of and act on your suggestions.

Once again I challenge all club members to become more involved with NUTS this year. If we all

work together 1994 can be the best year ever for NUTS.

Sincerely,

Bill Brown

## WAGON MASTER BRUCE DUGGER

## FIND OF THE MONTH (F.O.M.)

We wish to thank everyone for the terrific response to the Finds of the Month contest. The contest starts up again later in 1994. AT THE JANUARY MEETING, MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO MAKE A DISPLAY OF THEIR BEST FINDS OF THE YEAR AND ENTER IT IN A "DISPLAY ONLY" COMPETITION. PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED, BUT NO POINTS WILL BE GIVEN TOWARDS THE NEXT YEARS COMPETITION. We are looking forward to seeing a lot more entries this year, so dig, dig, dig! We wish to thank Bruce Dugger for all the work he has put into the contest and for getting the results to the editor in a timely fashion. For the information of new members, we are rerunning the F.O.M. rules in this month and next month. Questions? Call Bruce Dugger - 261-1678.

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## \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*FROM THE EDITOR

HELLO! This is the start of a new year for the club and your new editors. We hope that you, the members of the club, will do your part by getting interesting news and tidbits in to the editors for publication. Lets all share the good news with the rest of the club, but please, GET ALL MATERIAL SUBMITTED FOR PUBLICATION IN TO ERIC JAMESON NO LATER THAN MONDAY, FEB. 14. That will greatly help in getting this newsletter out on time. For further information call Karen Secor 731-5437 or Eric Jameson at 582-6461.

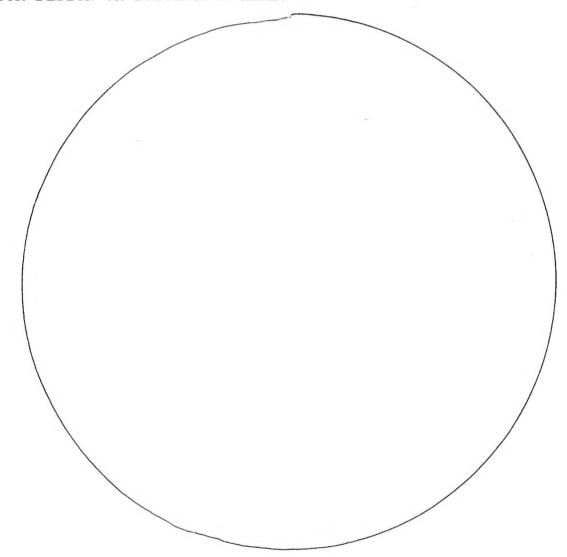
## \* \* \* \* DUES ARE DUE THIS MONTH \* \* \* \*

IMPORTANT: It is time to pay for your club. Lets get all those dues paid on time this year so you will not lose out on you subscription to the newsletter. Also, this year, Christmas drawing tickets will be given to family members only if they purchased a family membership. (see last page for membership form)

# \* \* \* 1994 MEDAL CONTEST \* \* \*

It is that time of year again! YES, we need your entries in the new, improved NUTS medal contest. As we must sell at least 100 silver medals, your club has decided on some type of Park City motif. This should allow us to unload some medals on the Park City tourist traps, where the rich yuppies are willing to pay inflated prices for genuine 100% pure silver medallions of their favorite fun filled leg breaker. In order to sell more, we are reducing the price from \$13 for club members last year to the measly price of \$10 this year! Now we can all reap the benefits of mass production.

PUT YOUR DESIGN OR SUGGESTION HERE:



We need to sell more silver medals this year because we are switching to a new mint and the dies will have to be remade (thus we have to pay for making the obverse of the club seal this year as well as the front). We may strike some copper medals this year if there is demand. Please bring in some money for your medals as they must be prepaid. Your designs or suggestions should be in by the January meeting. We hope to get some good designs this year, so get working over your drafting board.

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FIND OF THE MONTH RULES:

U.S.COIN - MUST BE A U.S. MINTED, LEGAL TENDER COIN.

FOREIGN COIN - A FOREIGN, LEGAL TENDER COIN.

<u>TOKEN</u> - A TRADE COIN GOOD FOR SOME VALUE IN TRADE (DOES NOT INCLUDE GOOD LUCK TOKENS, PRESIDENT TOKENS, ETC.)

<u>JEWELRY</u> - ANY JEWELRY TYPE ITEM, INCLUDING RINGS, CUFF LINKS, WATCH FOBS, PINS, NECKLACES, BROOCHES, MEDALLIONS, CHARMS, ETC.

<u>ARTIFACT</u> - ANY MAN MADE ARTIFACT, INCLUDING ARROW HEADS, BOTTLES, JEWELRY, COINS ETC.

<u>BUTTON</u> - CLOTHING FASTENER TYPE BUTTON OR SNAP ONLY (DOES NOT INCLUDE ADVERTISING, PIN TYPE BUTTONS.)

NON - METAL - MUST NOT CONTAINED ANY METAL, INCLUDES SUCH ITEMS AS BOTTLES (WITHOUT METAL CAPS), MARBLES, ARROWHEADS, ETC.

\*\*DISPLAY - ANY OR ALL ITEMS IN A DISPLAY (THE MORE ATTRACTIVE YOU MAY MAKE IT THE MORE VOTES YOU ARE LIKELY TO GET).

<u>OLDEST U S COIN</u> - U S LEGAL TENDER COIN (DOES NOT INCLUDE CENTS).

OLDEST U S CENT - U S LEGAL TENDER PENNY.

MOST VALUABLE U S COIN - BASED ON 1992 BLACK BOOK ABP VALUE (COINS WILL NOT BE GRADED UNLESS THE ABP VALUE IS THE SAME)

ENTRIES MUST BE ITEMS YOU HAVE FOUND SINCE THE LAST MONTHLY MEETING OF NUTS. NO ENTRIES BETWEEN DECEMBER MEETING AND THE MARCH MEETING ARE ENTERED (NO F.O.M. THESE MONTHS)

ONLY MEMBERS CAN ENTER THE COMPETITION AND YOU CAN ENTER AS YOUR FINDS ONLY ITEMS YOU HAVE FOUND YOURSELF. ITEMS FOUND BY OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS MUST BE ENTERED AS THEIR OWN FINDS.